COMPLIANCE SECTION CONSUMER SAFETY BRANCH

DSHS ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDOUS CONSUMER PRODUCTS GROUP



FISCAL YEAR 2024 ANNUAL ANALYSIS
FINAL ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS

Pursuant to 25 Texas Administrative Code Chapter 205

Hazardous Consumer Products Program Mission

The Hazardous Consumer Products Registration program, under the Texas Hazardous Substances Act, handles compliance over a broad range of commonly used consumer items including automotive products; household cleaners; polishes and waxes; paints and glues; infant items; children's toys; and sleep wear. This responsibility is implemented through registration of manufacturers; re-packagers and/or importers of hazardous substances; enforcement of labeling regulation, including hazard warning statements and first aid instructions appropriate for the specific product; and detention of recalled, mislabeled, and banned items.

<u>Definition of Hazardous</u> <u>Consumer Products</u>

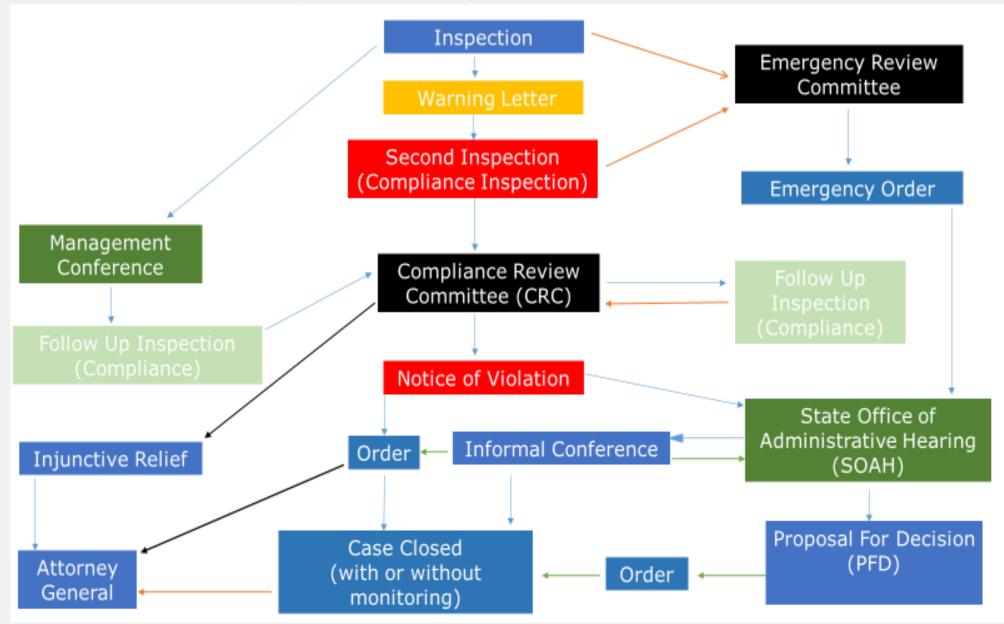
Any consumer product which is a substance or a mixture of substances that is toxic, corrosive, extremely flammable, flammable, combustible, an irritant, or a strong sensitizer, or that generates pressure through decomposition, heat or other means, if the substance or mixture of substances may cause substantial illness during or as a proximate result of any customary or reasonably foreseeable handling or use, including reasonably foreseeable ingestion by children. These products are required to be labeled sufficiently to inform its user of the dangers involved in using, storing, or handling the substance, of actions to be taken or avoided, and to give instructions as necessary for proper first aid treatment.

HAZARDOUS CONSUMER PRODUCTS GROUP ACTIVE REGISTRATIONS

Hazardous Consumer Products Registrations 506



Hazpro Compliance Flowchart





Cases referred to Compliance

 Fourty-five (45) cases were referred to Compliance for enforcement action



Informal Conference (IC)

Twenty-five (25) cases were held at an IC:

All cases were settled after the IC



Case Closures

Orders

Withdrawn

25

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FY24 Cases Closed Without Monitoring

Cases that have a finalized Order or an Agreement:

- All twenty-five (25) cases were closed without monitoring
 - All terms and conditions are met

For more information regarding Environmental Hazardous Consumer Product policies and protocols, please click on the link below:

https://www.dshs.texas.gov/hazardous-consumer-products-registration-program

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